

THE SEMINOLES TAKE WARPATH

SLAUGHTER THE PEOPLE AND BURN THE TOWN.

Settlers in a Panic—Frenzied Redskins Determined to Avenge the Lynching of Their Brothers—United States Cavalry and Poses Dispatched to the Scene.

Muskegon, I. T., Jan. 12.—The Seminole Indians went on the warpath Monday and left a trail of blood and ashes.

Two hundred and fifty braves went to Maud, O. T., just over the line, and massacred twenty-five men, women and children of the homesteaders. After killing every white person they could find they fired the town and it is in ashes. Many of the victims were scalped by the savages and other bodies were otherwise mutilated according to Indian traditions.

The redskins then marched on Earlsboro, O. T., swearing vengeance on every white, regardless of age, sex or condition. United States Marshal Bennett's information is that their march through the country was marked at every point by bloodshed and fire.

A troop of cavalry has been ordered to the scene from Fort Reno, and infantry companies are expected to start from Fort Reno and Fort Sill at once.

South McAlester, I. T., Jan. 12.—The Seminoles are avenging the work of the mob of white men that burned two Seminole Indians at the stake on Friday last.

The receipt of this startling information has caused intense excitement in South McAlester. Scores of people here who have relatives and friends at Earlsboro and other points in that region are besieging the telegraph office for news, but the agent has either left the Earlsboro station to gather further information or for safety or is slain.

A train was dispatched from here at midnight bound for the scene of the reported massacre under orders from Judge Springer and having on board all the available deputy marshals under command of Capt. Brady. The secretary of war was wired to order troops from Fort Reno.

The general officers of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf road have ordered out a special train from Shawnee bearing volunteers armed with Winchester to intercept the Indians at Earlsboro and prevent further bloodshed.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 12.—The train from the east last night brought to this city a car containing every woman and child at Earlsboro. The passengers confirm previous reports and say a pitched battle between the Indians and settlers took place near Maud postoffice, resulting in the wiping out of several families. Grave fears are entertained for homesteaders on the border. A special train was made up from here of 150 men armed to the teeth and left for the scene.

MORE INDIANS BURNED.

Further Particulars of the Lynching in Oklahoma Territory.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 12.—Passengers reaching Little Rock over the Valley route bring particulars of the burning at the stake of two more Indians in the Seminole nation Monday. The mob was composed of both whites and Seminole citizens of the territory, and there is little doubt that further trouble will follow the wholesale cremation of Indians now going on in that section.

The lynchers of McGeisey and Simpson seem to have realized their mistake in capturing the wrong men, so determined to get the right ones. They captured and burned two men in the Canadian hill country about thirty miles from the scene of the first tragedy. Bill Phillips and Henry Herricks were their names.

When the mob told Phillips that he had to die he fell to his knees and declared in a solemn manner that he was innocent of the crime charged against him. He spoke first in English and then in the Seminole language. He then invoked Divine blessing upon the mob, quoting scripture during his prayer. Among other things, he said: "Forgive them, good Lord, they don't know what they are doing." He spoke this part of his prayer in the Seminole language.

The two men were taken into the woods about fifty feet from the road. There they were tied to a large pine tree, the lower portion of which was covered with resin. Fagots were piled about them and without any ceremony a torch was applied by the mob. The flames shot up about the writhing forms of the two Indians. The fire burned for half an hour, and when it had spent itself, there was nothing left but the charred remains of the trunks and heads of two human beings.

Draper's Defense Outlined.

Jacksonville, Ill., Jan. 12.—The trial of Draper is becoming more interesting. The defense proposes to show that Draper, who had worked for Judge Kirby nineteen years previous to Jan. 31, 1896, had been broken down by overwork and was insane when the deed was committed, and that he killed Hastings in self-defense.

Major Esterhazy Acquitted.

Paris, Jan. 12.—Major Count Ferdinand Esterhazy, the retired

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Indiana Committee Named.

Democrats Hold District Conventions Throughout the State.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 12.—The Democrats of Indiana, through district conventions, Tuesday elected the following state committee, to serve two years: First district, John W. Spencer of Vanderburgh county; second, Parks M. Martin of Owen; third, W. A. Cox of Dubois; fourth, Lincoln Dixon of Jennings; fifth, Frank A. Horner of Clay; sixth, Quitman S. Jackson of Hancock; seventh, Thomas Taggart of Marion; eighth, Vernon Davis of Delaware; ninth, Willard H. Morris of Clinton; tenth, Edwin Forest of Lake; eleventh, Dr. Marshall G. Shively of Grant; twelfth, Thomas H. Marshall of Whitley; thirteenth, Peter J. Kruger of Marshall.

The conventions were all largely attended and nowhere was there a dissenting voice against the adoption of resolutions indorsing the Chicago platform of 1896. The following is the resolution that was passed by nearly every convention, including the one in this district:

"That we pledge anew our faith in and our fidelity to the eternal principles of the Democratic party as taught by Jefferson and Jackson and as announced in the Democratic national platform adopted at Chicago in 1896; that we commend with unqualified approval the purity, patriotism and signal ability in which our gallant leader in that memorable campaign, William J. Bryan, struggled for a more thorough establishment of good government and a fuller realization by all the people of those rights guaranteed them by the constitution, and so essential to the perpetuity of a free republic."

The men who voted with the "national" Democratic party in 1896 remained away from the conventions.

Mission Boards in Session.

New York, Jan. 12.—The first session of the sixth conference of the foreign mission boards of the United States and Canada was held in the Methodist building Tuesday afternoon. There are thirty-three foreign missionary societies of the evangelical churches of the United States. The work of these societies includes 1,093 principal stations, 6,247 out-stations, 3,774 American laborers, 15,564 native laborers, 3,836 churches, 430,266 communicants, 34,870 additions last year, 262,563 children and young people under instruction, native contributions last year of \$348,150 and a total income last year of \$4,333,611. These statistics are exclusive of the work done by some of the societies in Europe.

Senator Jones Urges Fusion.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 12.—The Democratic state central committee met Tuesday morning. A letter from National Chairman Jones to State Chairman Rosing was read, which, by implication at least, urged fusion of all the free silver elements in this state. He advised forbearance among those who argued on the main issue, and thought that by temperate action on the part of Democrats, silver Republicans and Populists, victory could be assured next November.

For Killing His Sweetheart.

Marion, Ind., Jan. 12.—The trial of Noah Johnson, charged with killing his sweetheart, Tacie Mang, is in progress in the Circuit court. Noah Johnson is a country lad, and the son of one of the county's most prominent farmers. On Sept. 24 he met his sweetheart, Miss Tacie Mang, aged 17, and a girl companion on their way to school. Without warning he fired two shots from a revolver at Miss Mang. Both took effect, and her death was almost instantaneous.

National Convention of Miners.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 12.—The national convention of miners, which met Tuesday in Wirthwein's hall in this city, is said to be the most representative of any the union has ever held. There are over 200 delegates present. Illinois, which was the last of the five coal-mining states to settle the big strike of 1897, is especially well represented, having thirty-six delegates and a total vote of 115 in the convention. The election of officers is the main order of business today, and after that the convention will probably go into executive session to formulate a wage scale which will be presented to the interstate conference in Chicago Jan. 17.

Bricklayers' Convention Opens.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 12.—The Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union convened at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning with a representation of 150 delegates, who were obligated by President Klein. The standing committees were announced, and it was decided to admit all union members who were properly vouched for. Invitations were received from Milwaukee, Cincinnati and Poughkeepsie, N. Y., to hold the next convention in one of those cities. Action was deferred.

Report on Michigan Crops.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 12.—The Michigan crop report for January says that wheat was injured very little, if any, during the month of December. The condition of live stock is excellent.

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Senator Fairbanks Speaks in Favor of The Pending Immigration Bill—Movement to Confer a Pension on Governor Meade's Daughters.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The civil-service debate which was inaugurated in the house a week ago ended Tuesday. There was not even a vote on the appropriation in the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills for the commission upon which the debate was predicated. The Republicans who are seeking to modify or repeal the law decided to let the debate come to a close, but it required the casting of the speaker to accomplish this. There are conflicting statements as to the situation in which the future conduct of the war against the civil-service law is left. All the Republican opponents of the law agree that the fight is to be kept up, and it is positively stated by Mr. Pearson (Rep., N. C.) that assurances have been received from those in authority that an opportunity will be given in the future for the consideration of a bill to modify the law. But from other sources the statement cannot be confirmed.

Mr. Bailey (Dem., Tex.), the leader of the minority, closed the debate with some remarks defining the attitude of the Democrats. If the law was good, he said, it ought to be extended; if not, it should be repealed. The Democrats, he said, were ready to wipe off the statute books. They did not believe in life tenure. While the repeal of the law might turn some of their friends out of office, they stood by their party platform.

With the conclusion of Mr. Bailey's remarks the time expired and the bill was reported to the house. No vote was taken, and the bill was passed without division.

FAIRBANKS ON IMMIGRATION.

The Senator Speaks in Favor of the Pending Bill—Pensions.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The senate Tuesday briefly discussed an adverse report by the pensions committee on a bill to pension Gen. Meade's two daughters at \$100 a month each. No action was taken and after Wolcott of Colorado announced a speech on the money question for next Monday Senator Fairbanks addressed the senate on immigration. He said:

"No more important question can engage our attention and none should receive more earnest and thoughtful consideration than one which seeks to guard and preserve the high standard of our population and citizenship. The pending bill throws an additional safeguard about our population and citizenship by imposing a moderate and reasonable educational test upon all immigrants over 16 years of age and physically capable. The immigrant must be able to read and write the constitution of the United States in some language before admission. An exception is made, however, in the case of a parent or grandparent of a qualified immigrant above 21 years of age and who is capable of supporting such parent or grandparent. A wife or minor child, though unable to read and write, may likewise accompany or be sent for to join the husband or parent who is qualified and capable. The closest and strongest ties of kinship thus remain unbroken. It is not claimed that the bill will discriminate with absolute justice, and that only the worthy will be admitted and the unworthy excluded. Some of those who will be denied entrance, though illiterate, would make acceptable additions to our population, but much the larger number would not. Very few of them possess the qualities which would enable them to develop into desirable citizens."

After this speech the Hawaiian treaty was taken up in executive session.

Extra Session for Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 12.—At a conference held at Gov. Pingree's residence Monday night it was decided to call a special session of the legislature about Feb. 1. It is the governor's idea to devote the session to not more than two measures—one to establish a uniform system of taxation for all quasi-public corporations, and for all property, if possible; and the other to enact a law establishing a straight 2-cent rate of fare on the railroads of the state.

Banker Tries to Kill Himself.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 12.—Miles Caverly, cashier of the State bank at Elmwood, Peoria county, attempted suicide Tuesday morning by shooting himself just above the heart with a revolver. The only clue to the cause of suicide is a note found in Caverly's pocket addressed to his wife, in which he states that he has committed no criminal wrong, but that he could stand the mental strain no longer. He is still unconscious and no hope is entertained of his recovery.

Thomas A. Edison Denies It.

New York, Jan. 12.—Thomas A. Edison denies the story sent out Monday that he had discovered a new metal.

SHAREHOLDERS WIN IN SUPREME COURT

BADGER PEOPLE WIN IN A SUIT.

Justice Decide in the Matter of the American Savings and Loan Association of Minneapolis, Upholding the Judgment of the Lower Tribunal—State News.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.—The Supreme court Tuesday handed down a decision in the case of Dr. L. V. Lewis of Sun Prairie against William D. Hale, receiver of the American Savings and Loan association of Minneapolis, affirming the decision of the Circuit court in favor of the Wisconsin shareholders. The association has securities amounting to about \$100,000 on deposit with the Wisconsin state treasurer as security for Wisconsin shareholders, but when the concern went into the hands of a receiver, two or three years ago, Receiver Hale claimed these securities as part of the general assets. M. C. Clarke of this city was appointed receiver of the association for Wisconsin, and this suit was to decide whether the securities referred to should be placed in his hands or those of Mr. Hale. The Circuit decided that the securities should remain for the sole benefit of Wisconsin shareholders, and this decision was affirmed by the Supreme court.

Crash Together in the Fog.

Racine, Wis., Jan. 12.—Two cars on the Milwaukee, Racine and Kenosha Electric railway collided at Pike Creek hill, seven miles south, during a dense fog Tuesday afternoon, while the directors of the road were making an inspection. Motorman Bowles' legs were broken and crushed, and one of them will have to be amputated. Director Dryboos received a cut on the head.

Famous Murder Case Settled.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.—The famous French murder case from Ashland county, which has been before the courts for the last five years, was settled by the Supreme court Tuesday. French stands convicted of murder in the second degree. He killed Gavin A. Steele, whom he accused of undermining his home. French has had six trials.

IS NOT UNSAFE.

Chicago Engineer's Opinion as to Hospital at Peoria.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 12.—Gen. William Sooy Smith of Chicago was quoted in a house Democratic caucus Tuesday as declaring that the incurable insane hospital at Peoria was a perfectly safe structure, and that the report that the building was located over an abandoned coal mine was got up for the purpose of furthering a real estate scheme. The joint resolution giving authority to the governor to proceed immediately to reconstruct the building of the incurable insane hospital near Peoria will come up on special order today and the Democrats decided in caucus to fight the resolution to the finish. If necessary they will try to break a quorum.

Senator Crawford's primary election bill was called up for second reading Tuesday, but action was postponed until next Thursday. Then it will be brought up for amendments.

Senator Dunlap, chairman of the revenue committee, introduced the revenue committee bill, which was read at large a first time and advanced to second reading.

The house committee on revenue ordered reported favorably Mr. Saylor's safety-deposit vault bill.

Mr. McEniry's bill imposing a 4 per cent tax on the gross earnings in excess of \$75,000 of gas and electric light companies will come up for third reading today. Mr. La Monte's bill for the taxation of grain in elevators was advanced to second reading.

Gov. Tanner last night said he saw no good reason why the general assembly should not adjourn the last of next week.

Curb for Patent Attorneys.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Assistant Greely of the patent office has prepared the draft of a bill which will be introduced in congress governing the recognition of agents, attorneys or other persons representing applicants for patents before the patent office. It gives authority to the commissioner of patents to require persons desiring to practice to show that they are of good reputation and possessed of the requisite qualifications to enable them to render applicants valuable service.

Montana Banker Murdered.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 12.—Patrick A. Large, president of the State savings bank, and a wealthy mine owner, was shot and killed about noon Tuesday by Thomas Riley. Riley was injured in the big explosion Jan. 15, 1895, and has since been making threats against Messrs. Connell, Kenyon, Clark, Large and others who were supposed to own an interest in the buildings in which the giant powder was stored. Riley is under arrest.

Illinois Republican Editors Meet.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 12.—The annual meeting of the Illinois Republican Editorial association was held here Tuesday, with about thirty members present. Very little was done outside of routine business. W. G. Dustin of the Dwight Herald, was elected president.

12-YEAR-OLD GIRL MURDERED.

Her Stepmother Confesses the Crime at the Coroner's Inquest.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 12.—Louise Wollert, 12 years old, was murdered in her own home at Algonquin shortly before 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Her stepmother, Mrs. Christian Wollert, at first said a tramp had shot the girl. She said he called and asked for breakfast and when Louise turned to ask her mother if she could feed him he shot her in the back. This was at first believed, but the woman's actions and lack of grief aroused suspicions. Finally, while the coroner's inquest was in progress, she confessed to the murder. She would not at first give any motive, but little by little it was drawn from her that she wanted the girl out of the way because she feared her testimony in a suit for divorce now pending. The girl had two bullets in her back and one in the right arm, and another had grazed her temple. It was evident from the appearance of things and the blood marks on the floor that a struggle had occurred. After shooting the girl Mrs. Wollert, it is believed, set fire to a mattress with the intention of burning the house. The woman was taken to Woodstock and her case will be considered by the grand jury.

CITY IS WRECKED AND MANY SLAIN

FORT SMITH, (ARK.), STRUCK BY TORNADO.

Fifty People Are Believed to Have Met Their Death and Great Damage Was Done—Fire Adds Horror To the Terrible Scene—Midnight Tragedy.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 12.—This city was struck by a tornado at midnight.

Fifty people were killed. Hundreds of dwellings were wrecked. Fire added horror to the scene soon afterwards and many more persons are supposed to have perished in the flames.

GOV. DRAKE'S MESSAGE.

Delivers His Last Official Utterance to Iowa Legislators.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 12.—The senate and the house of representatives held a joint session Tuesday afternoon and canvassed the vote cast for governor and lieutenant governor at the last election. The official canvass gives Leslie M. Shaw a plurality over Fred White of 29,886. J. C. Milliman received a plurality over B. A. Plummer of 36,543, so that Mr. Shaw runs 6,657 behind his ticket.

John Cliggitt, candidate for governor on the national Democratic ticket, ran 1,078 behind S. H. Mallory, the candidate for lieutenant governor, while S. P. Leland, on the Prohibition ticket, got 352 more than the Prohibition candidate for lieutenant governor. Governor Drake forwarded his biennial message to the legislature at 11 o'clock in the morning. The message is the longest ever delivered by an Iowa governor. Much interest is taken in the attitude of Governor Drake on the establishment of a board of control for the management of all state institutions. Governor Drake believes the number of boards should be reduced, but he takes a decided stand against one central board.

Firemen Meet at Campaign, Ill.

Champaign, Ill., Jan. 12.—The tenth annual convention of the Illinois Firemen's association is in progress in this city, the first session having been held at the city building Tuesday morning. Fifty-eight Illinois cities and towns are represented. The report of the legislative committee showed that \$66,000 was collected from fire insurance companies for the benefit of firemen in Illinois during the last year under the 2 per cent act.

Secretary Alger Improving.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Alger's condition is somewhat improved, and it is hoped that he will steadily grow better. His fever has been declared to be malarial rather than typhoid, and the physicians think if he can be moved to a more northern climate or to the seaside he will do well. In a few days, if his condition permits, he will be moved to Fortress Monroe in Virginia or to New York, it has not yet been decided which.

Brotherhoods Will Unite.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 12.—Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen said in an interview that he regarded the consummation of the federation of the five railway brotherhoods as a foregone conclusion. Chief Arthur of the engineers sends word that his organization, in all probability, will indorse the scheme at the coming meeting at St. Louis.

Seventy Years of Success.

Jacksonville, Ill., Jan. 12.—The memory of its founders was duly honored at Illinois College Tuesday through the exertions of President Bradley. Prominent among them were Julian M. Sturtevant, John M. Ellis, Theron Baldwin, Asa Turner, Jonathan B. Turner and Mason Grosvenor. Just seventy years ago Tuesday J. M. Sturtevant began his work in the embryo college with nine students.

SENATOR HANNA IS THE WINNER

Was Re-elected on the First Joint Ballot.

HAD ONE MAJORITY OVER THE FUSIONISTS.

Threats of What Would Be Done Were But Empty Vaporings and The Result Was As Had Been Expected By His Managers—Backers Were Active All Night As They Feared Something Might Happen If Vigilance Was Relaxed.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 12.—It is still "Senator Hanna."

The decisive vote was taken this afternoon Mr. Hanna winning.

Some threats had been made by the enemies of Mr. Hanna, but when put to the test they were found to be of no avail.

The vote was same received by Senator Hanna yesterday—fifty-six from the members of the house and seventeen from the senate, while Mayor McKisson received 72—one less than his successful rival.

The result was greeted with cheers. While the indications pointed strongly to Mr. Hanna's election, his friends were worrying all night over the possibility that he might get defeated, and did not relax their work for a minute. A change of one vote would have accomplished that end. The fusionists were not disheartened by yesterday's vote. They said the result was far from final. The situation was "McKisson or a dead lock," but they "figured without their host."

IN THE SENATE.

Mayor McKisson Has a Majority of Two Over Hanna.

Columbus, O., Jan. 12.—The senate gallery was crowded to its limit when the first move in the great senatorial contest was made. It was just 11 o'clock when Senator Sullivan arose to nominate Senator Hanna. During the delivery of the address the senators sat perfectly quiet, facing the speaker. Crowded into the hall were hundreds of people, taking up every possible foot of space, and yet not a sound could be heard save the words of the speaking senator.

As Senator Burke pronounced the name of McKisson there was a perfect silence.

Senator Wolcott of Cleveland immediately seconded the nomination of Senator Hanna. The nomination of Mayor McKisson was seconded by Senator Finck.

Lieutenant Governor Jones then announced the ballot would be taken by the senators rising in their seats and naming their choice. Two votes were taken, one for the short and one for the long term. The short term was voted for first.

The vote resulted: McKisson, 19; Hanna, 17.

The vote for the long term stood 19 for McKisson and 17 for Hanna, the same as on the ballot for the short term.

With the seventeen in the senate and fifty-six in the house Hanna has just the requisite seventy-three votes for his election with all present.

VOTE IN THE HOUSE.

Speaker Mason Announces Hanna's Election by the Lower Branch.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 12.—Both branches of the legislature met at 10 a. m. Tuesday. The crowd pressed in on the floor of both bodies and as the voters were prominent constituents they were not put out.

The name of Marcus A. Hanna for United States senator was presented by Representative Leland of Noble and seconded by T. R. Smith of Delaware. The name of Mayor Robert H. McKisson of Cleveland was presented by Representative Bramley.

The result of the ballot was announced as Hanna, 56; McKisson, 49; Warner, 1; Wiley, 1; Lentz, 1.

Speaker Mason announced that Marcus A. Hanna, having received a majority of the votes of the house, was the choice of that body for the short term.

The ballot was then taken for the long term, and it resulted the same, its announcement being greeted with long and loud demonstration. On both ballots Representative Cramer was absent, and there thus only 108 votes cast, as follows: Hanna, 56; McKisson, 49; Wiley, 1; Warner, 1; Lentz, 1; absent, 1.

At 12:15 the house adjourned until 10 o'clock today, when the two houses meet in joint convention to canvass the vote cast for senator.

To Unite Europe and Africa.

Paris, Jan. 12.—M. Berlier, a well-known engineer, has submitted to Spain and Morocco a project tunneling the Straits of Gibraltar.

A POLICEMAN'S LOT AN UNHAPPY ONE

ALL PEOPLES' TROUBLES ARE HIS TROUBLES.

He Must Face Danger and Also Long Winded Stories of People Whose Axes Are Dull—Generally Knows All About Everything—Uses Good Judgment.

A policeman is probably one of the most abused persons of the human race. He is hated and despised by the evil doer and law breaking thug, for the reason that when these persons attempt to commit crime it is a policeman who lands him behind the bars where he belongs. If such worthless criminal turns on an officer there are a class of people who insist that the officer should stand and be pounded to pieces and killed if necessary. When he uses his hickory cane there is a cry of "brute." Still this same gang will stand when asked to assist a policeman simply urge on his assailants. While no citizen should encourage clabbing at the hands of a policeman, still when a drunk attempts to annihilate an officer he is justified in using force to subdue such men. Still there are hundreds of men ever ready to take a place on the force and know the troubles they must experience.

Hear Many Tales

When a comic opera comedian gave out the tip to the people of the United States to "go and tell your troubles to a policeman," he did not reckon on the amount of trouble he was about to cause the policeman of the country. Janesville policemen have all kinds of stories poured into their ears, and they know more "unwritten history" about more people and more events, than anyone would imagine. When the policeman asks about some "shady" transaction, the best thing you can do is to tell the whole truth, for the chances are that the policeman knows it anyway, but wants to see whether or not you will prevaricate. Then if the case be one of a trivial nature, the policeman will know what to do with you next time. The advice "tell your troubles to the policeman" is good, but "tell the policeman the whole truth" is better.

The Janesville policemen are painstaking and faithful. They use excellent judgment, and seldom merit condemnation. All good citizens should stand behind the policeman—he's the bulwark of public law and order.

DEATH OF MRS. F. H. COLLINS

Fort Worth Paper Pays a High Tribute to Her Memory.

The Fort Worth, Tex., Daily Mail-Telegram gives the following account of the death of Mrs. Frank H. Collins. "Died in Fort Worth, Texas. Sunday night at 5:15, after a brief illness, Mattie Collins, wife of Frank H. Collins, aged 38 years, 4 months and 2 days.

"Decensed was born in Janesville, Wis., August 8, 1859. On October 30 she was united in marriage to Frank H. Collins removing to Fort Worth. She at once united by letter with the Cumberland Presbyterian church, and died as she had always lived, a devout christian and passed away with a smile on her face that will linger through eternity to join the redeemed in paradise. It was hard to see her die; a lovely home, a kind, devoted and generous husband and a bright boy of five summers to bless the union.

"Those who knew her can never forget with what firm, unflinching will she fought the battle with death, until no hope of victory was evident, and then with what grandeur of spirit and courage of christian faith, she became subservient to the Master's will, and peacefully placed her hand in the conquerer's, and with sweet submission passed over the dark waters. She was perfectly resigned to God's will, and when all hopes for her recovery had fled, she summoned around her bedside her sorrowing husband and child, her sisters and a few intimate friends, gave each a smile and a message, bade them all good bye and with the dying words on her lips, "For Jesus' sake, amen," fell to sleep—that sleep that knows no waking this side of the grave.

"Her life was one of flower in practice and oak in principle. Gentle in demeanor, unwavering in true devotion to the right. She was not one of those to "proclaim from the housetops" the charitable deeds done, but on the contrary she went along doing good, "not letting the right hand know what the left did." A noble spirit has gone. The memory of that matchless character is an evergreen to those who knew her. She was a woman of most excellent qualities, kind-hearted, charitable and loved and respected by all who knew her. Farewell! She's gone, but it was but a blessed translation from an earthly to a heavenly home—a closing of the eyes on earthly trials and contests to open them in a land of heavenly peace and happiness.

"She leaves a sorrowing husband, a son, Willie, five years of age, an aged father, James Cleland, and sister, Mrs. A. L. Fisher of Janesville, Wis., Judge J. B. and W. A. Cleland both prominent attorneys of Portland, Oregon, and S. J. Cleland of Emporia, Kansas, to mourn her loss. Her sister from Janesville, Wis., was with her during her sickness and death. Her father and brothers were summoned to her bedside, but arrived only to see their beloved one cold in the embrace of death."

One Minute Cough Cure cures quickly. That's what you want! O. D. Stevens.

THE YEAR AT THE CEMETERY

Oak Hill Association's Annual Meeting Was Held Last Evening.

The annual meeting of the Oak Hill cemetery association was held last evening at the office of Dr. W. H. Judd.

Volney Atwood, James Sutherland and James A. Denniston were elected trustees for three years. Messrs. Atwood and Sutherland being elected to succeed themselves, and Mr. Denniston in place of Charles B. Conrad. Later the trustees met and elected officers as follows:

President—Volney Atwood.
Secretary—Wilbur F. Carle.
Treasurer—S. C. Burnham.
Executive Committee—Volney Atwood, Wilbur F. Carle, S. C. Burnham, Dr. W. H. Judd and James Sutherland.
The trustees' report was as follows:

RECEIPTS.
Thirty-four lots.....\$1,590 00
One hundred and seven adult permits..... 450 00
Twenty-five infant permits..... 520 00
One poor permit, year 1896..... 2 00
Open vault..... 3 00
Removals..... 28 00
Interest..... 319 25
Grave and sodding lots..... 119 00
Care of lots..... 47 00
Iron pipe..... 22 80
Hay..... 29 00

Total receipts.....\$2,662 55

DISBURSEMENTS.
President's salary.....\$ 150 00
Secretary's salary..... 100 00
Sexton's salary..... 600 00
Seven hundred and ten and three-quarter days' labor..... 897 14
Team work..... 29 00
Legal service..... 15 00
Twenty-four settees..... 134 25
Freight on same..... 14 40
Twenty-four hitching posts..... 42 00
Water service..... 150 00
Telephone service..... 36 00
Insurance on dwelling..... 18 00
Order book..... 7 50
Ads. for annual meeting..... 4 30
Sod..... 59 75
Sewer pipe..... 33 72
One lot..... 40 00
Blacksmith work..... 6 52
Water line..... 1 58
Timothy seed..... 90
Use of tools..... 5 00
Hardware..... 18 46

Total disbursements.....\$2,363 25
Cash on hand January 1st, 1897..... 319 44
Receipts for the year..... 2,662 55

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Cash on hand January 1st, 1898.....\$1,142 74

The 146 interments reported for 1897 are distributed as follows:

City of Janesville.....104
Rock county elsewhere..... 2
Wisconsin elsewhere..... 4
Other states..... 17

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RELIEF CORPS ELECTION

Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald Is Placed at the Head.

The new officers of W. H. Sargent Post Woman's Relief Corps were installed last evening by past president Mrs. Nellie M. Blakely. Mrs. Mattie McGuire, the retiring president was presented with a past president's badge and a birthday book. The officers installed were as follows:

President—Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald.
Senior Vice-President—Mrs. Mary L. Wills.
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DIXIE COMES TOMORROW

Noted Actor Will Play in Magic At the Myers' Grand.

The Miracles of Chunder Huld and the Mystery of Mearour are two of the famous new illusions presented by Henry E. Dixey this season. These are both elaborate productions of the greatest of all the Hindoo mysteries. They are founded on to legends of the far Orient and are presented in a sumptuous manner that charms while it mystifies the audience. Dixey's entertainment this season is the most novel ever produced. It combines the black art with the most ludicrous of burlesques and has aroused the most flattering comments from the great metropolitan journals. The production in its original entirety will be seen at the Myers Grand, Thursday evening, Jan. 13.

IT SENDS OUT RESOLUTIONS

Senators and Congressmen Notified of State Grange's Wishes.

S. C. Carr of Milton Junction, has sent to each of the ten representatives in congress from this state, and two senators, resolutions passed at the State Grange meeting, on Pure Food, Gambling in Farm Products, Postal Savings Banks, Free Delivery of mail in rural districts and electing United States senators and the president and vice president by a direct vote of the people, and the president and vice president to hold their office six years. He has asked their influence and vote on their passage.

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TOBACCO "IN CASE" AND GROWERS GLAD

JANUARY THAW MADE LEAF MEN HAPPY.

Considerable Quantities of the Weed Are Still on the Poles But Stripping Can Now Be Done—To Give A Greek Play at Beloit—County News.

Edgerton, Wis., Jan. 11.—The January thaw, this week, will bring the hanging tobacco again into case and furnish the growers an opportunity to remove from the curing sheds what there was left of their crops that are not taken down and stripped. In some sections there was quite a portion yet hanging on the poles.

Besides quite an active effort that is being made to purchase the filler grades out of the new crop, there is little buying of entire crops of the 1897 tobacco in various sections, though not enough as yet to indicate any general movement is at hand. The sales so far range from 4 to 6 cents in the bundle for wrapper and filler grades, and bought entirely for a prospective export trade. The opinion seems to be growing that the great bulk of the present crop will eventually find an export outlet which would account for the flurry that has developed to secure the filler portions of the crop. With plenty of cheap fillers to reduce the cost of a packing, the exporter is enabled to offer his tobacco at a price that would insure a sale and a profit as well. There is a little more inquiry after old goods in the local markets, though but few recent sales have come to notice. Holders of these goods are maintaining stiff prices and believe the time is soon coming for a more encouraging business. The eastern owners of 1896 Wisconsin are finding a ready sale for their tobacco. The shipments out of storage from Edgerton during the week reach twelve carloads or about 550 cases. Since last report 1,100 cases of cigar leaf were exported from New York.

ARE TO GIVE A GREEK ALAY

Rehearsals by Beloit College Sophomores.

Beloit, Wis., Jan. 11.—The Beloit college Sophomore class is rehearsing the Greek play "Alceste" of Euripides. Alceste is generally considered the strongest and most finished of all the plays of Euripides. The cast of characters will be as follows:

Apollo, the Sun-God.....L. C. Pollock
Death.....C. W. Watt
Alceste, Queen of Phraea.....Guy Heberd
Admetus, King of Phraea.....H. R. Mussey
Hermes, their son.....Master Luther Reed
Hermes, guest of Admetus.....F. C. Enright
Pheres, aged Father of Admetus.....J. L. Whitney
Wife of Pheres.....J. J. Fisher
Maid Servant.....A. E. Bieckman
Chorus of Citizens of Phraea.....Messrs. McQueen (leader), Eaton (musical director), Allen Burns, Ralph Stahl, Hurlburt, and Messrs. Brown, Buell, Bushnell, Christie, Curtis, Davies, Gage, Porter, Smale, Smith and Vogt.
The King's Body Guard—Messrs. Bosworth, Ennis, Watt and Pollock, with many other guards, bearers and attendants.

FUNERAL OF H. W. SMITH.

Evansville, Wis., Jan. 11.—The funeral of Herman W. Smith took place today at the Congregational church of which he was a member. The funeral was under the auspices of the G. A. R. post. Mr. Smith was seventy-four years of age and had passed a large part of his life in Evansville.

THE BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

Rock County National Directors Are Chosen and Meet Later.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock County National bank was held yesterday and the following board of directors was elected: C. S. Jackman, B. B. Eldredge, John Watson, C. W. Jackman and A. P. Burnham.

The directors elected the following officers:

President—C. S. Jackman.
Vice President—B. B. Eldredge.
Cashier—A. P. Burnham.

PUTTING IN DEPOT BOILERS

Work Will Be Completed by End of Next Week.

Arthur Deppman of Chicago, is in the city in the interest of the Chicago steam fitting firm of Cook & Chick, who have the contract for putting in the boiler at the new Chicago & Northwestern depot. The boiler, which is to be used for heating purposes only, is thirty-six inches by twelve feet, and will be placed beneath the ladies' waiting room. Mr. Deppman says he expects to finish the heating apparatus work by the end of next week.

TIMBER WOLVES ARE SEEN

Farmer Residing Near Clinton Reports Seeing Varmits Often.

John Inman, who resides near Clinton, was in town Sunday and reports that several wolves of the timber variety have been seen in the vicinity of his farm. In every instance immediate chase was given but the hunters were unable to get a shot at him.

Butter, Butter, Butter.

Commencing today and continuing through the entire week we will cut the stays from beneath butter prices and sell fancy gilt edge table butter dairy butter at 18 cents by the jar. We guarantee every pound to be fancy and have an unusually large supply of it. The first cold snap will send butter up high and the price we quote you now is worth your laying in a supply for weeks to come. Price lasts this week only. Sanborn & Co.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ryan are home from their wedding trip.

The I. M. O. Whist club meets with Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Judd tonight.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met in the church parlors this afternoon.

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E. J. Carroll day clerk at the Grand, is entertaining his brother, W. J. Carroll, of Waukesha.

Mrs. STELLA HOLMES, of Milton, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Judd, 304 St. Lawrence Place.

Mrs. J. P. Baker entertained the Ladies' Afternoon Euchre club in a delightful manner yesterday afternoon.

A REGULAR meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S. will be held at Masonic hall this evening at 7 o'clock.

JOINT installation of the Modern Woodmen of America and Royal Neighbors will be held in Mitchell's block tonight.

Miss MAMIE SCHMIDLEY entertained a number of her friends at a 6 o'clock tea last evening, at her home, 214 South Bluff street.

THE Oliphant club will hold its first social function at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Matheson this evening at 8 o'clock.

MR. and Mrs. Ed. Amerphol, Mrs. J. C. Harlow and Mrs. Harry Garbutt attended the wedding of Miss Amerphol at Brodhead last night.

PROF. D. C. JACKSON of Madison, was the guest of Captain Pliny Norcross last evening, and attended the meeting of the Twilight club.

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THE Rebekah Sewing Circle served supper as a surprise to the members of Janesville City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F., at Odd Fellows hall on West Milwaukee street, last evening.

PHOTOGRAPH mounting board makes excellent mounts for engravings or kodak prints. Two weights, one for albums, the other for individual mounts, at Gazette Job Rooms.

JANESVILLE Canton No. 9 Patriarchs Militant, have changed their regular meeting night to the second and fourth Fridays of each month at Odd Fellows hall, North Main street.

KEINHOLO BUCH was very happily surprised by fellow members of the Good Templars and others at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ruach, 276 West Milwaukee street, last evening.

A VERY pleasant surprise party was perpetrated on Miss Edna Nichols last evening, at the Locust street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Nichols. The revelers met with Miss Maud Nicholson and their coming was unknown to Miss Nichols.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank held yesterday the following board of directors was elected: Hamilton Richardson, F. S. Eldred, Thomas O. Howe, A. P. Lovejoy, Stanley B. Smith, L. B. Carle and John J. Rexford.

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The following notice appeared in the Milwaukee Sentinel, January 4, '98: "The versatile Dixey, with his magic and fun, is drawing well at the Bijou, where he will play all the present week. A magician who has an eye for picturesque costume and effective stage settings, who is as witty as he is dexterous, and who can transform himself from an adept in the black art to a clever actor, deserves every bit of the excellent patronage he is receiving."
PRICES—25, 50, 75 and \$1. Sale opens 12th, 3 p.m.

The OSTEOPATH



FASHION HINTS.

Latest Styles in Useful and Ornamental Outer Garments.

Parisian women who have occasion to wear elegant costumes through the street cover them with long redingotes or mantles of silk waterproof. These are very prettily made and trimmed, but are laid aside immediately upon entering the house, even if a call of only a few minutes' duration is to be made. They are worn simply to preserve the gown from dust, dampness and other injury while walking.

Velvet is the favorite trimming material. It is used for yokes, in bands and in ruffles, and all varieties are seen—plaid, striped, embroidered, fancy and plain velvet.

Chenille is a revived decoration and is successfully employed on cloth incrustated with velvet, the chenille being used to outline the applied designs. Nets of chenille studded with steel or jet are introduced as a millinery trimming and sometimes cover entire hats.

The characteristic feature of this season is the blouse jacket. In velvet, in cloth, embroidered with braid or cord and in fur, it is almost universally worn. Otter,



EVENING CAPE.

caracul, astrakhan and chinchilla are the furs most used for blouses, which are always made with a short basque and belted in with a more or less ornamental girdle. A decorative buckle at least is worn, and often the belt is embroidered with metal and jewels or is of filigree or enamel.

Fur is worn more extensively than ever by both children and women, but the less costly varieties alone are used for little people, astrakhan being usually preferred for them.

An illustration is given of an evening wrap of sky blue broche silk. It is mounted on a yoke of white satin, embroidered with gold and colored silks, and there are stole ends to match, between which is a plaited front of white liberty satin. Around the yoke is a deep ruffle of lace with a beading. The valois collar is lined with white mongolie. JUDIC CHOLLET.

FASHIONS IN FUR.

Fur Trimmings—Elegant Wraps for Street and Evening Wear.

A novel way of trimming with fur is to attach tails of mink by both ends, thus forming festoons, beneath which is placed a ruffle of green, violet or orange velvet. Fur combined with lace, beads and jewels, flowers and brilliant velvet is an odd fancy, but one which is highly fashionable, such light accessories giving life to the somber tones of the pelts.

Entire gowns are sometimes made of fur—for outdoor wear only, of course—while vests, boleros, jackets, capes and pelerines of fur are thick as leaves in Vallombrosa. Fur redingotes are seen in Paris, caracul being the favorite for close fitting garments with skirts, because of its pliability and thinness. Fitted jackets of fur are preferred by those women who want something which will appear well for several seasons without remaking.

Evening wraps may be long or short, according to the taste and the purse of the wearer. Those which are long are the more elegant, rich material being em-



FUR WRAP.

ployed for them, of course. The simplest are of fine silk plush in warm tones, lined with satin or quilted silk of a harmoniously contrasting color, preferably light. Short wraps are worn by young girls, as being less stately than long mantles. White mongolie is the most usual fur trimming, the collar being lined and the wrap bordered with it, while there is sometimes an entire yoke of the fur. Mongolie may

be replaced by ostrich feather trimming, or even by coq plumage.

The picture shows an entirely new fur garment, half cape and half wrap. It has a short, close bodice of astrakhan, with double coquilles of mongolie down the front, the collar and border of the basque being also of mongolie. Pelerine sleeves of mongolie cover the upper part of the arm. JUDIC CHOLLET.

Didn't Want the Whole Family.

Her Parents (to prospective son-in-law)—Is your financial condition such as will enable you to support a family?

Young Man (timidly)—Why, I—er—that is, I was—er—only figuring on supporting Clara.—Chicago News.

Why the Dog's Nose Is Cold.

What makes the dog's nose always cold? I'll try to tell you, curls of gold, if you will good and quiet be, And come and stand by mamma's knee. Well, years and years and years ago—How many I don't really know—There came a rain on sea and shore. Its like was never seen before. Or else, it fell unceasing down Till all the world began to drown. But just before it 'gan to pour An old, old man—his name was Noah—Built him an ark that he might save His fam'ly from a wat'ry grave. And in it he also designed To shelter two of every kind Of beast. Well, dear, when it was done And heavy clouds obscured the sun Noah's folks to it quickly ran. And then the animals began To gravely march along in pairs. The leopards, tigers, wolves and bears, The deer, the hippopotamuses, The rabbits, squirrels, elks, walruses, The camels, goats, cats and donkeys, The tall giraffes, the beavers, monkeys, The rats, the big rhinoceroses, The dromedaries and the horses, The sheep and mice, the kangaroos, Hyenas, elephants, koodoos And hundreds more—'twould take all day, My dear, so many names to say— And at the very, very end Of the procession, by his friend And master, faithful dog was seen. The livelong time he'd helping been To drive the crowd of creatures in. And now, with loud exultant bark, He gayly sprang aboard the ark. Alas, so crowded was the space He could not find it a place. So, patiently he turned about— Stood half way in and half way out, And those extremely heavy showers Descended through nine hundred hours And more, and, darling, at their close, Most frozen was his honest nose, And never could it lose again The dampness of that dreadful rain. And that is what, my curls of gold, Made all the doggies' noses cold. —B. M. Lincoln in New York Tribune.

How a Newsboy Helped.

The other day a blind man came down Madison street walking with his cane thrust out before him and tapping the walk from time to time to see that he was not running into anything. At La Salle street the crowd was dense and the cable cars and street traffic were clanging noisily by. For a moment the blind man stood there undecided, not knowing which way to turn. The throng parted and left him like an island in a swift stream without offering to help him. On the corner a newsboy was calling the afternoon papers. He caught a glimpse of the old man and ran up, took his arm and steered him safely across the street. Here he started him on his way again. Then he ran back to his place.

"Noos?" he shouted, as if it was the most ordinary thing in the world to help blind men across the street.—Chicago Record.

Puss Spoiled an Election.

A cat was recently locked in a ballot box on a Tuesday night and was not set free until the next afternoon. Puss was asleep in the ballot box when the ballots were dropped in, and she was soon snowed under by them, and the box was sealed. On Wednesday the cat's mewling was heard, and it was found that she was in the box. The judge of election declared it would be illegal to open the box, but the cat made such a noise that counsel was consulted, and puss was liberated. She had torn the ballots into shreds in her frantic efforts to escape.

The Sultan and Our Missionaries

The Porte has demanded the recall of two American missionaries from the province of Aleppo, on the pretext that their mission for distribution of relief is likely to cause disturbances. "The sick man of Europe," as he is derisively termed, is as unreasonable as his political health is feeble. As a bright contrast to his obstinacy and stupidity, the people of America are acknowledging far and wide the beneficence of the mission of Hostetter's St. Mach Bitters, namely, to relieve and prevent malaria, rheumatism and kidney complaint, chronic dyspepsia, constipation and liver trouble. The nervous, the weak and the infirm derive unspeakable benefit from its use, and it greatly mitigates those infirmities specially incident to advancing years. Sleep, appetite, and a sensation of comfort throughout the system, ensue upon its use, which should be regular and persistent. An early resort to this fine preventive is logically suggested to those who seek its aid.

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She Was Prohibitionist.
"I have been told that you feed your turkeys on corn that's been soaked in whisky. Is it so?"
"Yes, ma'am. It adds such a gamey flavor, ma'am. Now, that there turkey next to your hand, ma'am, didn't draw a sober breath for a month, ma'am. You'll find him very snappy, ma'am."

"But, sir, I do not approve such methods. They are shocking, positively shocking! I am opposed, sir, to the use of intoxicating beverages in every form, sir."

"Sorry, ma'am—I mean it does you credit, ma'am. And now just take a look at that nice little hen turkey right in front of you. There's a turkey that will accord, ma'am, with your very commendable temperance principles. Yes, ma'am. That turkey was raised on unfermented catnip tea, ma'am. Shall I wrap it up? Thanky, ma'am."

Cheap American Labor.

"All the workmen," says the Glasgow (Scotland) Evening Citizen, "engaged in laying the new asphalt in Buchanan street have been brought over from America, where they have been engaged in the same sort of work for years. A novel sight of Glasgow people is the presence of so many colored men, with their white brimmed hats, who are employed."

The Barnum Giraffe Dead.

The Barnum giraffe broke its neck on board ship while the circus was on its way to England. This leaves only one of the animals in captivity. It was valued at \$9,000.

As there is no marriage in heaven we suppose there is no kin there, either.—Atchison Globe.

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THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES.

Chicago & Northwestern	Leave For	Arrive From
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 am	9:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	7:40 am	8:10 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon*	7:30 pm	12:40 am
Chgo Via Beloit, Elgin, & La Crosse	7:00 am	6:30 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 pm	11:40 am
Beloit, DeKalb & Omaha	6:40 am	10:45 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport & Elgin	12:23 pm	8:00 pm
Watertown, Fond du Lac & Waukesha & Milwaukee	7:30 pm	10:25 am
Watertown & Janesau Freight	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Watertown	4:00 pm	7:30 am
Watertown	8:15 pm	7:30 am
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon	6:30 am	.....
Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona & St Paul	11:00 am	3:00 pm
La Crosse, Winona & St Paul	8:05 pm	12:05 pm
Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	9:30 pm	6:30 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul & Duluth	12:45 am	7:30 am
Evansville, Madison, St Paul & Duluth	9:30 am	6:30 pm
Winona & Dakota	12:45 am	7:30 am
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	2:15 pm	1:15 pm
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	10:40 am	.....
Watertown, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and points north	7:00 am	10:40 am

*Daily \$Sunday only.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	*1:10 pm	*12:50 pm
Milwaukee, Watertown, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 am	9:00 am
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	10:30 am	8:10 pm
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 pm	7:40 pm
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	9:40 am	9:17 am
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 pm	4:10 pm
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	7:40 pm	6:35 pm
Edgerton, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Richland Center, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul, and Minneapolis	11:40 pm	.....
Iowa, Minnesota North and South	9:20 am	9:17 am
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	9:35 am	4:10 pm
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	11:30 am	.....
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine	11:30 am	6:00 pm
Kansas City through train	11:30 am	9:00 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.	12:30 pm	12:00 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:30 pm	4:10 pm
Monroe and Mineral	9:30 am	4:10 pm
Point	6:10 pm	9:00 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 pm	9:25 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:30 pm	9:30 am
Mouree and Mineral Pt.	8:00 am	6:10 pm
mixed	*10:00 am	3:30 am
*Sunday only	.....	8:30 pm
*Daily except Sunday	.....	.....
*Except Saturday	.....	.....

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	6:00 am	9:00 am
North and Northwest	7:35 am	10:00 am
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 am	12:00
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:30 pm	6:00 pm
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 pm	8:00 pm
North and West, via Madison	6:30 pm	8:00 pm
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1519—Maximilian I, emperor of Germany, died.
1787—John Hancock, statesman and "signer," born in Quincy, Mass.; died 1793.
1801—John C. Lavater, writer on physiognomy, died at Zurich.
1874—Surrender of Cartagena, Spain; the Carlist war assumed serious proportions. The Carlist war was set on foot by Carlos Maria Juan Isidor, pretender to the claims of his father, descendant of King Charles IV. The war lasted five years.
1875—Thomas E. Bramlette, war governor of Kentucky, died; born 1817.
1891—Baron Georges Eugenie Haussman, famous engineer, died in Paris.

Figures Don't Lie.
Dumley—I'll bet the cigars I can guess your wife's age!
Chumley—I'll go you.
Dumley—Well, answer two questions. How old was she when you were married?
Chumley—Twenty.
Dumley—And how many years have you been married?
Chumley—Twenty.
Dumley—Good! Then she is just thirty-one!—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Just the Proper Article.
Mr. Lodgeleigh (across the boarding-house table)—Will you kindly pass the can-opener, Mrs. Skinner?
Mrs. Skinner (severely)—Do I understand you rightly, Mr. Lodgeleigh—the can-opener?
Mr. Lodgeleigh (suavely)—You do, madam. I wish to open this pie.—Judge.

A Peculiar Case.
Mrs. Williams—Oh, Mortimer, I do not know what is the matter with Willie!
Mr. Williams—Is he sick this morning?
Mrs. Williams (perplexed)—Well, he has the stomach ache and yet this is Saturday, and there isn't any school.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Good Looks and Economy.
Lover—You are getting prettier every day.
Sweet Girl—Just now I am living on brown bread and water to improve my complexion.
"How long can you keep that up?"
"O, indefinitely."
"Then let's get married."—Odds and Ends.

Not at Home to Him Now.
She (arrayed for the theater)—Sorry to have kept you waiting so long, Mr. Spoonamore, but it has taken me longer than usual to get ready. I look like a fright in this hat, too.
He (vaguely desirous of saying something complimentary)—It isn't the—er—fault of that lovely hat, I am sure, Miss Hankinson.—Chicago Tribune.

A Theory.
"I wonder what the reason of a man's natural aversion to shopping is," he remarked, as his wife, with a frown, inspected some purchases he had made for her.
"It is a wise provision of nature," she answered, with a sigh. "It prevents a great deal of good money from being wasted."—Washington Star.

Encouragement Enough.
She—I don't see what reason you have for expecting anything but a refusal. I never gave you any encouragement.
He (just rejected)—Oh, Miss Coyne—Maud! You did—you most certainly did encourage me! You told me you had \$10,000 a year in your own right.—Tit-Bits.

An Unintentional Pun.
Smith—What are you and Scissors, the barber, mad about?
Smythe—Oh, he's too blamed sensitive. I referred to his small son as an unusually bright little shaver, and he said he didn't care to talk shop.—N. Y. Journal.

Accomplice.
"A stolen kiss is sweetest."
Quoth I. "Ah, yes?" quoth she—
"Of course, there's no objection to an accessory?"—Puck.

THE MALE FLIRT.



"Do you know him, Katie?"
"Yes! And the idea of his flirting like that when he knows I know he's engaged."—N. Y. World.
The Fitness of Things.
He used to call her "duckie dear."
He calls her "a goose" to-day.
Because she takes quick drugs to drive her fancies off away.
—Chicago Daily News.

She Writes Popular Novels.
Marie Corelli is not, as seems to be popularly supposed, an assumed name, but is the real and legal patronymic of the author of "A Romance of Two Worlds" and other well known novels.



MARIE CORELLI.

Miss Corelli is an interesting young woman of Italian birth, French by education and English by adoption. Her mother was the second wife of the late Dr. Charles Mackay. She still lives in the old Mackay home, on Longridge road, Kensington, London.

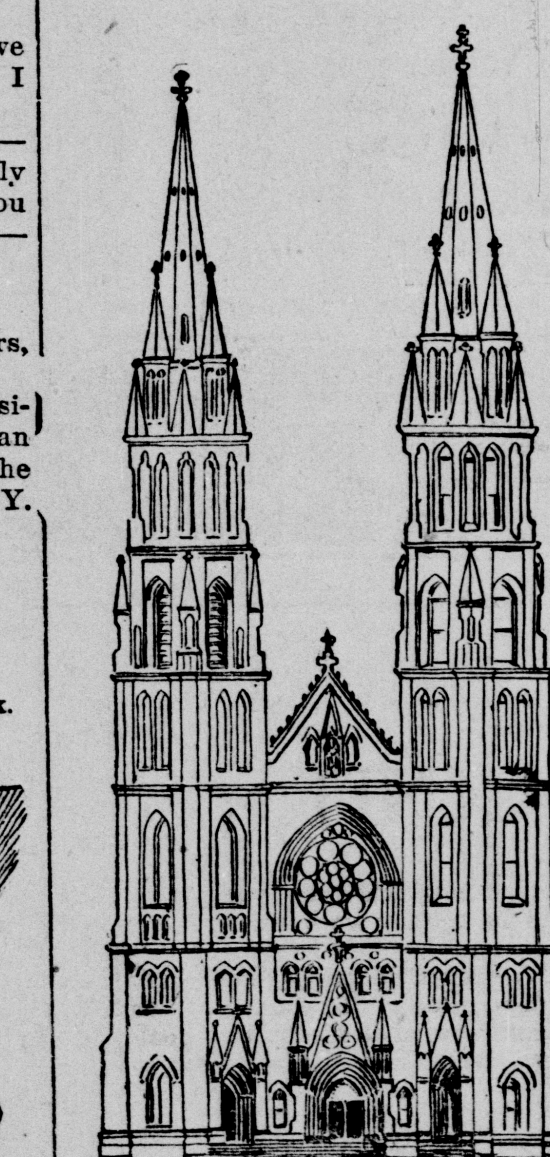
An American Jockey Abroad.
Tod Sloane, the American jockey who has just closed such a phenomenally successful season in London, astonished the English quite as much by the mode and manner of his private life as he did



TOD SLOANE.

by his turf performances. He lived as extravagantly as an Indian prince and dressed in the very height of fashion. Sloane is a native of Kokomo, Ind. He is 23 years old and weighs less than 100 pounds.

A Fine New Cathedral.
Plans have been approved for a new \$1,000,000 Roman Catholic cathedral in Newark. The cathedral will be 309 feet long and about 120 feet wide at the



PROJECTED NEWARK CATHEDRAL.
front. There will be two towers, one taller than the other. The higher is to be 300 feet high and 36 feet square on the base. The other will be 275 feet tall.

A Self Educated Duke.
The Duke of Argyll lately offered himself as a living proof of the advantages of desultory reading. He has never been to school or college, but he has always read everything he could lay his hands on. To this he attributes his success in public speaking, for he "often finds he has read what others have not."

Theory and Practice.
Madame Tweedledee (principal of great dramatic school)—I was so sorry I could not be present at your debut last night. Did you follow my advice, and hold your powers in check during the earlier acts, so as to reserve yourself for the grand climax in the fourth act?

New Society Actress—Yes.
Madame T.—I'm so glad. And didn't the audience go perfectly wild over that grand climactic scene in the fourth act?

New Actress (sadly)—They went before the fourth act—all of them.—N. Y. Weekly.

To Keep the Streets Clean.
"After a great deal of thought and patient figuring," he said, "I feel that I can safely say that I have solved one of the great municipal problems."
"Which is?" they asked him.

"Keeping the streets clean," he replied.

"How would you do it?"
"I would assess the cost where it belongs—on the men who advertise by means of handbills and circulars," he answered.—Chicago Post.

The Burnt Child, Etc.
"So you are really going to get married?" asked Mr. Longsufferer, of his nephew, Charlie Rashboy.

"Yes, indeed, I want to be a happy man."
"And that's the way you go at it," replied Longsufferer, with a side-glance at his wife in the next room. "That's like trying to heat an oven with snowballs."—Tammam's Times.

Retraction.
"Col. Blood," says the current issue of the Weekly Battle Ax and Loyal Mississippi, "has called at this office and demanded a retraction of our remark that he was a famous liar. We retract cheerfully and fully and do so by hereby stating that the esteemed colonel is an infamous liar."—Indianapolis Journal.

Example at Hand.
Johnny (looking up from his reading)—Mother, what is a bookworm?
Mrs. Billus (with a sharp sidelong glance at Mr. Billus)—A bookworm, Johnny, is a man that always sticks his nose in a book or a paper when his wife wants to talk to him.—Chicago Tribune.

A Natural Query.
First Deaf Mute (in department store, speaking by finger signs, admiringly)—Those two salesgirls over there are rather pretty!
Second Deaf Mute (speaking ditto, puzzled)—Yes. I wonder if they are talking with each other, or merely chewing gum?—Brooklyn Eagle.

Sure Enough.
Small Southern Boy (politely)—Please pass the 'lasses.
Prim Northern Aunt—You mean molasses, do you not?
Small Southern Boy—How can I mean molasses when I haven't had any?—N. Y. Truth.

A Nice Neighborhood.
Deacon Ebony—I heah you hab moved, Brudder Black. Has you got inter a select neighborhood?
Brudder Black—I hab, fer a fac', deacon. Nebber saw sich a selection of chickens in mah life.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Hunt for Unhappiness.
'Tis folly to be wise
Where ignorance is bliss,
But suspicious women who
Search their husband's pockets through
Never think, alas, of this!
—Chicago Daily News.



Algernon O'Rafferty (gloomily)—I'm goin' ter Klondike.
Marguerite Maloney—Wot fer?
Algernon O'Rafferty—Ter dig gold.
Marguerite Maloney—Hum. I suppose wen yecum back ye'll be drivin' yer own goat wid harness made outen nuggets, but have a care. Me fadder's a plumber an' winter's on.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Paradox.
I've often heard it said,
And often seen,
That blackberries are red
When they are green.
—N. Y. Journal.

A Bad Opinion of It.
Mr. Wilberforce—What do you think of the third party, Miss Dimling?
Miss Dimling—Oh, I always trusted a chaperon.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

He Wasn't Sure.
"Is your picture in the academy a success?"
"That's what I am wondering. Someone said it was worth the price of admission."—Tit-Bits.

The Road to Wealth.
Bacon—To what do you attribute old Goldstein's success?
Egbert—To his failures.—Yonkers Statesman.

Easy Enough.
Mrs. Brooks—How did you break your husband of going out nights?
Mrs. Banks—I told him he talked in his sleep.—Harlem Life.

Admitting the Resemblance.
Maud—I have heard people say she sings like a bird.
Madge—She does sing incessantly.—Puck.

Just as Good.
Book Worm—Have you a copy of "Forteen Decisive Battles?"
Saleslady—No; but I've got "Recollections of a Married Man."—Tit-Bits.

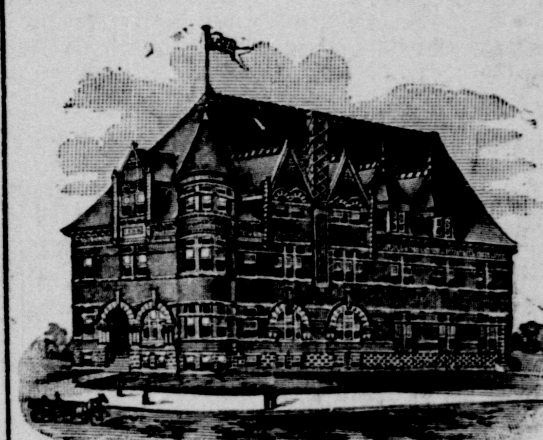
No One Is Found to Blame.
London, Ont., Jan. 12.—The closing scene in the recent accident at the city hall in this city took place Tuesday, when the coroner's jury returned a verdict. The verdict was that the death of the one person off whom the inquest was held was accidental. The legal and practical effect of this is that the city is freed from suits for damages, and no one will be prosecuted for negligence in connection with the affair.

Populists Will Make Plans.
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Populists of national renown are here to take part in the conference of the People's party national committee and the national reorganization committee. The purpose of the conference as outlined by prominent leaders already here is to come to some understanding as to the future policy of the party, decide on a place to hold the next national convention and call a nominating committee.

Knapp Is Elected Chairman.
Washington, Jan. 12.—Commissioner Martin A. Knapp was elected chairman of the interstate commerce commission to succeed Colonel W. R. Morrison, whose term of office expired on the 31st of December last.

Will Burn the Body to Ashes.
San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 12.—Theodore Durrant's last wish is to be complied with, and his body, which he feared would fall under knives of surgeons, is to be given to the flames. It is now on its way to Pasadena, where it will be cremated.

G. H. WEBSTER,
M. D. and Clairvoyant.
Calls promptly attended to, day and night. Office at residence, 121 Milton Avenue. Phone 204-5.



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The work of this association is invaluable to any community. Any one desiring to be unselfish become interested in this work for men.
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Join at Once.

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... Needs You.

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On Jackson street you'll see a sign which reads:

CHAS. ACHTERBERG,
"YOUR TAILOR."

If you will take the trouble to step into the shop you'll find a man who can convince you he understands his business. The place is small but the work turned out is the best.

CHAS. F. ACHTERBERG,
Your tailor, 2 South Jackson St.

OYSTERS ::::

We are still headquarters for Baltimore Oysters received fresh every day and kept in the finest refrigerator in the city.

BEAUMONT DEFOREST.
107 West Milwaukee street.

YOU CAN BUY...

BLANKETS AND ROBES
... VERRY CHEAP AT
Selkirk's Harness Shop.
Repairing promptly done.

WINTER...
Is Half Over,
TIME TO TEST
SHOE PROMISES

The first week one \$3.50 shoe looks very much like another. Three months wear, and the difference is more apparent. Three months generally shows whether a shoe was honestly recommended. By that time cheap sole leather has worn through; spongy uppers have been chafed and scraped.

DEAR SIR—You know what we told you about our \$3.50 box calf and enamels.

DEAR MADAM—You know what we told you about our \$3.00 street shoes in vici kid and box calf.

Wasn't it all true?
Weren't the shoes even better than we said.

We are proud of the shoes we sent out this season. We have hardly had a complaint. We try to hear of every complaint, too, for we expect to make good every deficiency. We want your trade this season and seasons to come on the basis of Shoe promises fulfilled.

C. C. BENNETT SHOE CO.
Foot Fitting Shoe Men. On the Bridge

IT PAYS TO BUY AT
Hoffmaster's
Clearing
Sale...

Preparatory to taking inventory...
20 per ct.

or one-fifth of on all Dress Goods, Table linens, napkins, lace curtains, underwear, and hosiery.

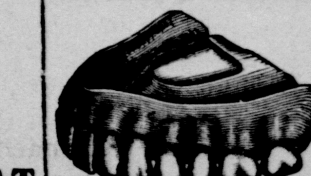
10 per ct.

off on all Domestics, and prints. Cloaks at...

One-Half

off. This is a bargain sale. It will pay everyone in want of dry goods to take advantage of this sale.

H. HOFFMASTER & SON
18 South Main Street.



All work guaranteed. Open evenings and Sunday from 12 to 1 o'clock for the painless extraction of teeth. DR. C. J. PALMER, Manager.

TO SPEND \$5,000 TO PREVENT FIRE

JANESVILLE MACHINE CO. TO
EXTEND WORK.

Will Run "Automatic Sprinkler" Pipes
Through All the Buildings and
Furnish Three Separate Means of
Supplying Water—Would Reduce
Insurance Rates Materially.

Directors of the Janesville Machine
Company have voted an appropriation
of \$5,000 to be used in securing better
fire protection at their plant.

Automatic sprinkling pipes will be
placed throughout the buildings,
which will be supplied with water
direct from the river as well as from
the mains of the Janesville Water
Company.

From the large tank now on the
grounds water can also be taken,
which makes three separate sources of
supply in case of a serious conflagra-
tion. In case of a serious mishap to
any one of these sources of supply, the
company will have the other two to
depend on. They will be regulated by
a separate steam pumping plant
soon to be put in.

The extension of this fire fighting
facilities will mean a difference of
many dollars to the company in the
way of fire insurance rates each year.
From figures that have been received
from eastern insurance companies
who make a specialty of such risks,
the indication is that the rates on a
thousand dollars would be reduced
about two thirds where manufactur-
ers put in the automatic pipe sprink-
ling system.

Not a New Scheme

The Janesville Machine Co. are not
trying a new scheme in placing these
sprinklers throughout their plant as
for some time past they have had this
service in the wood working and
paint shops. The system has proved
a success in several instances—hence
the new move on the part of the di-
rectors in extending the lines.

"There is another important point
to take into consideration aside from
the amount that we save in insurance
rates," said a prominent stockholder
last evening, "and that is the trade
and valuable time we would lose in
case of a fire. The present season is
a busy one for us and if we were
obliged to shut down it would mean a
loss of a good many dollars."

During the past few days several
firms who make a business of putting
in sprinklers have been in the city for
the purpose of looking over the local
plant with a view of figuring on the
contract and submitting their bids,
but as yet the contract has not been
awarded.

CLUB TALKS ON ELECTRICITY

Members of the Twilight Hold a Very In-
teresting Meeting.

The largest meeting in the history
of the Twilight club was held last
evening. In spite of the threatening
weather, the club turned out in such
numbers as to overflow from the Hotel
Ordinary into the dining room proper.
An excellent dinner was served, and
the subject for the evening, "Electric-
ity," was opened by the chairman, Cap-
tain Pliny Norcross. Frank O. Hasel-
ton followed with brief remarks on
"Induction," and advances in electrical
science were reviewed by Professor D.
C. Jackson, who is at the head of the
electrical department in the state uni-
versity.

I. F. Wortendyke gave a carefully
prepared summary of the development
of the telephone and telegraph and
Dr. James Mills discussed "The Medi-
cal and Surgical Use of Electricity." Prof.
D. D. Wayne gave demonstrations
with battery, induction coil and
galvanometer. When the meeting
adjourned most of the club repaired to
Dr. W. H. Palmer's office where an
X-ray exhibition was held.

The next meeting of the club will
be February 8 and will be in the
nature of a Lincoln anniversary cele-
bration—the first formal observance
of the kind Janesville has ever had.
Rev. E. H. Pence will lead.

SHOES FOR THE SOLDIERS

National Guardsmen May All Wear the
Same Pattern Footwear.

Members of the Light Infantry may
soon be wearing uniform footwear.
The annual convention of the National
Guard association of Wisconsin,
which will be held January 27-28,
will bring forward interesting topics
for discussion, and it is quite probable
that its deliberations will have direct
effect on the military organiza-
tion of the state. One subject
that will be discussed with more than
usual interest is as to whether the
state should provide the members of
its military companies with regulation
shoes or not.

The meetings of the association will
be held in the Hotel Pfister club room.
Addresses will be made by the ever
popular vice president, Philip Reade of
the regular army, and others.

WERE CAUGHT BY CUPID.

Bingham-Bostwick.

Albert E. Bingham, cashier of the
Bower City Bank, and Miss Penno B.
Bostwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
R. M. Bostwick, were married at 5
o'clock this afternoon, at the home of
the bride's parents, on Park Place.
Rev. A. H. Barrington, of Christ
church, officiated, and only the imme-
diate relatives and a few friends were
present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bingham will leave
this evening on a brief wedding trip.
They will be at home, after February
15, at 357 Court street.

NEWS OF A DAY ABOUT TOWN

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.
Big fat bananas 10c a dozen at San-
born's.

No damaged coal in our yard. F.
A. Taylor.

No damaged coal in our yard. F.
A. Taylor.

FRUIT bargain, bananas 10c a dozen
at Sanborn's.

I AM still selling 2000 lbs for a ton.
F. A. Taylor.

STATEMENTS \$1 a thousand at Gazette
job rooms.

I AM still selling 2000 lbs for a ton.
F. A. Taylor.

DELICIOUS bananas 10 cents dozen
at Sanborn's.

I AM still selling 2000 lbs for a ton.
F. A. Taylor.

DELICIOUS California oranges 15
cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

WE offer any jacket in our store for
\$6.98. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Henrietta club annual masquer-
ade comes tomorrow evening.

HOLLAND cabbage, hard as a rock, 8
and 10 cents each. Sanborn.

OUR \$6.98 jacket sale is the talk of
the town. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CREMA, the new 5 cent cigar at San-
born's has pleased every trial so far.

BUTTER prices knocked down to 18
cents a pound by the jar at Sanborn's.

SCHUYLKILL, best coal on earth, no
necessity of cutting price. F. A. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crane will oc-
cupy one of the Jeffris flats this win-
ter.

SCHUYLKILL, best coal on earth, no
necessity of cutting price. F. A. Taylor.

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necessity of cutting price. F. A. Taylor.

DON'T pay more than 10 cents a
dozen for bananas—that is all we
ask. Sanborn.

ALL holding invitations to the Hen-
rietta club masquerade can get tickets
at Smith's pharmacy.

DON'T forget the supper at the Con-
gregational church Wednesday even-
ing, 5:30 to 7:00 o'clock.

GREATEST offer of the season, fancy
dairy butter 18c per pound by the jar,
this week only at Sanborn's.

FANCY dairy butter, every pound
strictly first class; this week 18c per
pound by the jar, at Sanborn's.

THE new corn sheller is now in po-
sition at the Cargill elevator, and corn
will now be bought by that firm.

THE special surprises offered at the
Henrietta club masquerade tomorrow
night are awaited with much interest.

FROM Wednesday on through the
balance of the week, fancy gilt edge
dairy butter 18c per pound by the jar.
Sanborn.

If you will need butter next week
buy this week. Fancy dairy table
butter 18 cents a jar by the pound at
Sanborn's.

THE ladies of Trinity church will
serve supper at the chapel Wednes-
day evening, Jan. 12 from 5 to 7.
Price 15 cents.

CREMA, a 5 cent cigar of unusual
merit—takes without much talk and
claims every smoker as its steady puff.
Try it. Sanborn.

NOTICE—As we are going out of
business, we wish those knowing them-
selves indebted to us to please call and
settle. Trulson & Peterson.

ANY jacket in the store \$6.98. Many
handsome silk-lined and braided gar-
ments were being sold at \$15, \$20
and \$25. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CALIFORNIA oranges 15 cents, 20
cents, 25 cents, 30 cents, 35 cents and
40 cents a dozen and the famous Lyon
brand naval oranges, the finest fruit
that comes east of the Rockies. San-
born.

CHIEF of Police Bargren, of Rock-
ford, who several years ago was pro-
prietor of the Sea Side restaurant in
this city, is in the field this year for
sheriff of Winnebago county. Chief
Bargren's numerous friends in the
Bower City would be glad to see him
win.

WE were offered yesterday by one
of Chicago's largest wholesale grocery
houses \$1 a dozen for all the Mason
Bros. & Davis solid meat tomatoes and
Ruby tomatoes we had in stock. We
refused to sell however and offer them
at retail 10 cents a can. Little hap-
penings of this sort show that we
buy right. Sanborn & Co.

MR. VANCE DANGEROUSLY ILL

Well Known Town of Lima Resident Is In
a Critical Condition

Mr. Vance of the town of Lima, is
dangerously ill with stomach trouble
and old age. A consultation of physi-
cians was held yesterday at which Dr.
James Mills of this city, was present.
Mr. Vance, who is one of the country's
oldest settlers, and is held in the
highest esteem by all. He is eighty-
three years of age.

Only Three Days to California.

Via "Sunset Limited" from Chicago
and St. Louis. Composite car with
barber shop, bath room and library;
ladies' parlor observation room car;
compartment and drawing room sleep-
ing cars and dining cars. An ideal
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A. & C. A. R. B., Chicago, Ill., or H.
C. Townsend, G. P. A., St. L. I. M. &
S. Ry., St. Louis, Mo.

No damaged coal in our yard. F.
A. Taylor.

REGISTER OF DEEDS MAY GET SALARY

COUNTY BOARD COMMITTEE'S
REPORT.

Have Investigated the Matter and
Recommended That the Fee System
Be Abolished Beginning With the
Term of 1899—Matter of a New
Jail—Supervisors at Work.

Beginning with first Monday in Jan.
1899, the register of deeds of Rock
county may work on a salary.

The special committee recently ap-
pointed to look into the matter con-
sisted of J. L. Bear, Alex. White and
A. C. Powers. They have completed
their report which favors this change.

Their report will plainly state the
advantages to be gained by the county
and that the report will be adopted by
the board there is said to be but little
doubt.

The proposed change is the result of
a law passed in 1895, giving the coun-
ty board the authority to change the
annual income of the register of deeds
from fees to a salary. In the matter
of the office of the clerk of the court,
the board has no authority, for the
new law does not touch on this point.

While information was secured from
all sections of the state, by the com-
mittee appointed to look into the mat-
ter, the report from Manitowish county
was the most satisfactory, with refer-
ence to Rock county, for the reason
that its population is about the same.

The office of register of deeds for
that county was recently changed
from a fee office to a salaried one pay-
ing \$1,400 annually. Aside from this
annual salary the county allows for
clerk hire not to exceed \$40 a month.
If this change is made it will not ef-
fect the present incumbent, but would
go into effect with the incoming regis-
ter of deeds in 1899.

Attorney W. G. Wheeler said this
afternoon that the law under which
the committee worked was unconstitutional,
and that he did not think the
committee's recommendation could be
legally carried out.

The committee having the jail mat-
ter in hand have their report ready to
be submitted to the board at this meet-
ing, but the matter was not taken up
this afternoon. The report is in sub-
stance the same as was outlined in the
Gazette a short time ago.

Chairman More presided at the meet-
ing of the county board which con-
vened at the court house this after-
noon.

Some time was taken up in organi-
zation, etc., and no important matters
had been passed upon at 3 o'clock.

PASS ON THE BANK CASES

Judge Bennett Issues An Order In Edger-
ton Litigation

Edgerton bank matters are still re-
ceiving the attention of the circuit
court of Rock county. On motion of
Fethers, Jeffris, Field & Mount, at-
torneys for Thomas Thronson, one of
the defendants in the case of O. M.
Gager et al vs. the Bank of Edgerton,
the court ordered that the plaintiff
show cause before the court on the
24th day of January, 1898, why an
order should not be made requiring
said plaintiff to make more definite
and certain the allegations of the
amended complaint referred to in the
petition, and for such further order as
is prayed for in said petition.

In the action of the same title, in
which John C. Hend, W. W. Williams
and John J. Pearson are defendants
the court made an order of a similar
nature.

In the case of Clement Bane & Co.
vs. George H. Smith the order of the
court was that judgment be given the
plaintiff for the amount as agreed
upon with costs to be taxed.

RETURN CIRCUIT JOB DONE

Foreman John Stone and Crew Finish the
Telephone Work.

Foreman John Stone and crew of the
Wisconsin Telephone company,
who have been working in this city
for the past four weeks placing in a
copper return wire in place of the iron
one, finished their labors yesterday
and left today for Milwaukee. The
improvement is one long needed and
will mean better service in the future.
The cost was in the neighborhood of
\$500.

BUILDING A NEW STEAMER

Captain Buchholz Working On Another
Boat This Summer.

Captain Alex. Buchholz is building
another steamer which will ride the
waters of the raging Rock next
season. The new boat will be seven
feet wide and twenty-eight feet long
and will accommodate about twenty-
five passengers. A six horsepower
engine will be the motive power.

LOWELL BUYS THE LEADER

Mr. Friedman Is Forced to Retire Because
of Ill Health

E. W. Lowell has bought the stock
of "The Leader." Mr. Friedman, who
has conducted the business so success-
fully having been forced to retire be-
cause of ill health. Mr. Lowell has
not yet decided what he will do with
the goods.

Man vs. Rat.

A Lyme (Conn.) man tried to catch
a rat, but the rat ran up a leg of his
trousers. The rat was progressive,
and finally reached the small of his
back and then he yelled. One of his
companions dealt a stunning right-
hander at the convulsive bump under
his suspender cross, and the rat was
squashed—but the blow almost killed
him.

HOLD FARMERS' CONVENTION

Session To Be Under the Auspices of the
Pomona Grange.

A Farmers' Convention will be held
under the auspices of Rock County Po-
mona Grange at P. of H. hall, Milton
Junction, January 26, 27 and 28.

It is expected that Ex-Gov. W. D.
Board will be present and address the
convention sometime during the ses-
sion. There will be a question box in
which those who wish can deposit
questions or resolutions which they
wish to bring before the convention.
The questions and resolutions that are
presented will be read at the opening
of each session. Committee on resolu-
tions—S. C. Carr, A. R. Wilcox, Benj
Bleasdale. It is expected that persons
presenting subjects that will require
discussion will not occupy over twenty
minutes in their presentation and that
in discussing each person will be lim-
ited to ten minutes without the con-
sent of the meeting.

Dinner will be served for those who
wish at the M. E. church parlors by
the ladies of that society at 25 cents
each. The program:

Wednesday, 10:00 A. M.

Prayer.....Rev. L. A. Platts, Milton

Music under the direction of Mrs. C. H.

Thorpe, Milton Junction.

Opening Address.....

A. C. Powers Master of Pomona Grange,

Beloit.

Recitation.....Harry L. Jones

Pleasure and Profit in Farming.....

Rev. George R. Chambers, Milton

1:30 P. M.

Music under the direction of Mrs. C. H.

Thorpe, Milton Junction.

Recitation.....Louise P. Lloyd, La Prairie

The Farmer of the Twentieth Century.....

Hon. D. F. Sayer, Fulton

Recitation, How We Hunted a Mouse.....

Miss M. Alle Butten, Milton Junction

Dangerous Classes.....

Hon. Clinton Babbitt, Beloit

7:30 P. M.

A grand eloquent and musical entertain-
ment under the direction of Miss M. Alle But-
ten of Milton Junction, assisted by the Edger-
ton Mandolin and Guitar Club, who will furnish
some of the most popular and classical music of
the day, under the direction of Mr. Figenbaum,
formerly with the famous Felix Mandolin Club
of Beloit. Mrs. Kitty Smith of Edgerton, who
has traveled with Prof. Knowlton's Concert
troupe, The Bells, will render some select solos,
Come and witness the greatest event of the
season and thereby assist the Committee of Ar-
rangements in defraying the expenses of the
convention. Tickets 20 cents. Children under
twelve 15 cents.

Thursday, 9:00 A. M.

Music under the direction of Miss

Leo Ninette Coon, Milton.

Organization.....

H. E. Huxley, Master of Wisconsin State

Grange, Neenah.

Music.....

Recitation.....

Selection from The Last Days of Pompeii.....

L. M. Babcock, Milton

Postal Savings Banks.....U. S. Walte, Afton

1:30 P. M.

Music.....

Poultry Raising.....Mrs. A. W. Lehman, Neosho

Recitation, The Old Actor's Story.....

Miss Clara Rice, Milton

Music.....

The Farmer in Politics.....

Hon. Frank Smock, Monroe

7:30 P. M.

Program under the management of

Sup't David Throne, Beloit.

Music.....Milton Junction Mandolin Club

Recitation, Broder Brown on Apples.....

Miss Lillian Babcock, Milton

Teaching Hygiene.....

Miss Mary Humphrey, Milton Junction

High School.

Discussion.....

Prof. A. E. Whitford, Milton Graded School

Song, Milton Junction Graded School, Primary

Recitation, Race at Devil's Elbow.....

Miss Kittie Butten, Milton Junction

Music.....

Maxwell and Lubelle Ogden, Milton Junction Graded School.

Address, The Rural School Problem.....

President Albert Salisbury, Whitewater

Discussion.....

Co. Sup't David Throne and W. M. Ross

Music.....Milton Junction Mandolin Club

Friday, 9:00 A. M.

Music by the Milton Junction Male Quartet.

Sydney Husbundry.....George Wyle, Leeds, Wis.

Recitation, Just Watch.....

Miss Mabel J. McRae, Milton Junction

Dairying.....Sup't George McKerron, Madison

1:30 P. M.

Music by the Milton Junction Male Quartet.

Recitation.....Miss Leo Proctor, Janesville

Experience in Road Making.....

Thomas G. Levering, Rockford, Illinois

Recitation.....Miss Susie Davis, Milton

Rural Mail Delivery.....Joan M. Stahn, Chicago, Ill.

ENRIGHT WRITES FROM THE NORTH

GOLD SEEKERS ARE SAFE AND
WELL.

Parents In This City Receive a Very
Interesting Message From Him—
The Weather is Not So Severe As
One Would Think—Have Provis-
ions In Plenty.

John Enright, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Patrick T. Enright, of 55 North
Hickory street, who is working his
way into the Klondike gold fields,
writes an interesting letter from Lake
Labarge, North West Territory, dated
December 14, 1897.

Mr. Enright says that the weather
is not as cold as some people think,
for at no time this winter have they
had to dress themselves in heavy un-
derwear or furs.

Two men in the party which he
started out with, have given the job
up as a bad one and returned home
rather than travel afoot over the
mountains of snow and ice. This now
leaves a party of three—all men. Mr.
Enright says, who are built of the right
kind of stuff to brave the trip through
to Dawson City with the opening of
spring.

Mr. Enright says that his health
was never better than it is at present.
At Lake Labarge they are quartered
in a well built house that serves as a
station for the British mounted police.
The party has provisions on hand to
last them a year. They recently
killed a monstrous moose which will
insure them against starvation for
some time to come.

At one time great anxiety was felt
for the safety of the party of which
Mr. Enright is a member, and his
parents were overjoyed to hear from
him.

PROCEEDINGS OF CO. BOARD

Continued.

We deem the apparent difference in the income and expenditure accounts as needing some explanation and we hope the following will explain the same.

Supt. Aler cost of maintenance.....\$14,388 97
Add salaries of Supt. Aler and trustees of asylum paid by the county.....1,073 43
\$15,462 40

From which deduct permanent improvements.....1,533 81
Deduct cash on hand.....384 00
\$1,517 81

Leaving cost of maintenance by trustees as.....\$14,144 59
Supt. Aler income reported.....\$15,144 33
Add gain in inventory by trustees.....1,110 04
Add maintenance of pauper in inventory.....3,375 21
Add permanent improvements by trustees.....1,533 81

Cost of maintenance.....\$24,169 39
\$14,144 59

Net gain as given by trustees.....\$10,024 80

The difference in the amount of income over maintenance as between the two reports arises from the fact that Supt. Aler makes no account in the income of pauper support gain in inventory, or permanent improvements the latter being figured by him as in cost of maintenance, and in the maintenance account Supt. Aler does not figure the salary of self and trustees which the trustees do. Also that the trustees take from Supt. Aler's cost of maintenance, the cost of permanent improvements and cash on hand. You will find it will figure as above that both reports are correct, only that Supt. Aler goes only so far as his books go, which is proper. We would suggest that in the future the superintendent and the trustees in making their reports make the same to correspond so as not to be misunderstood.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH ROSA,
ROBERT BRUNN,
Committee.

Report adopted.
Supervisor A. Eager from committee No. 1, presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, by the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County: That the county clerk of Rock county be authorized to draw an order in favor of the Edgerton Electric Light Co. for \$14.45, and charge the same to the city of Edgerton. This being the amount of double assessment as shown by the assessment rolls.

A. EAGER,
G. E. HARKER,
H. W. CONLEY.

Adopted. Ayes 35; noes 0.

To the Board of Supervisors of Rock County: Gentlemen:—Your committee No. 4, together with the county treasurer, to whom was referred the matter of saloon licenses granted on which the county is entitled to fifty (\$50) dollars on each of said licenses granted, having made the necessary examinations, we find the whole number of licenses granted to this date for this year to be 68, of which Janesville city has granted 41.....\$2,200

Beloit city 15.....800
Edgerton city 6.....300
Town of Spring Valley 2.....100
Town of Plymouth 2.....100

Total amount of said license which the county is entitled to is.....\$3,500

There is due on said license—
From city of Janesville.....\$2,200
From city of Edgerton.....300
From town of Plymouth.....100

\$2,800

We have the assurance from the city clerks, this unpaid license money will be remitted to the county treasurer in a few days.

Respectfully submitted,
ALEX. WHITE,
L. W. KENDALL.

Report adopted.

To the Board of Supervisors of Rock County: Gentlemen:—Your committee No. 4, on finance having under consideration the amount of tax necessary to be levied, and having made examination of the various resources and probable necessary expenses for the ensuing year, beg leave to report by resolution as follows:

Resolved by the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County: That the tax to be levied upon the taxable property of the county of Rock for the ensuing year as follows:

State tax (educational purposes)—
One mill tax, common schools, Chap. 237, Laws of 1895.....\$21,192 03

3-10 mill tax for state normal schools, Chap. 91, Laws of 1895, and Chap. 53, Laws of 1897.....6,357 60

17-40 mill tax of state university, Chap. 300, Laws of 1893; Chap. 29, Laws of 1891; Chap. 241, Laws of 1895; and Chap. 284, Laws of 1897.....9,096 61

Free high schools, Sec. 486, R. S.....1,766 01

Fifth normal school, Chap. 364.....333 21

Laws of 1895—
Manual training departments, Chap. 338, Laws of 1895.....88 31

Interest due on certificates of indebtedness, Sec. 260, R. S.....5,565 37

1-10 mill tax for state hospital, Chap. 237, Laws of 1895, Chap. 237, Laws of 1897.....2,119 20

3-10 mill tax Chap. 148, Laws of 1897.....6,357 60

For sundry purposes, Sec. 1,071, R. S.....17,000 02

Total tax.....\$70,465 96

Special charges upon said county—
For state hospital.....2,219 72

For industrial school, Boys.....135 01

For Wisconsin Home for Feeble Minded.....254 85

Total.....\$2,609 58

For county tax, general purposes.....\$60,000 00

Of which ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) is to pay the asylum bonds numbering from twenty-one to forty inclusive, which will be due April 1, 1898; also to pay five thousand two hundred and fifty (\$5,250) dollars interest on asylum bonds due April 1st and October 1st, 1898. There is also hereby levied upon the aforesaid taxable property of the county one-fifth of a (1-5) mill, Chap. 339, Laws of 1895, amounting to \$3,000.

There is also levied upon all the taxable property of the county, excepting that of the cities of Janesville and Beloit, the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars to be apportioned and allowance to county superintendents of schools, two hundred dollars of this amount to reimburse the general fund for the allowance to superintendents of schools one year ago, and is to be placed in the general fund. There is also levied the sum of eighteen thousand two hundred and sixty-four and 25-100 dollars (\$18,264.25) county school tax to be apportioned and levied upon the taxable property of the several towns, villages and cities in said county, in sums equal in amount to the school fund income apportioned to said towns, villages and cities by the state for the current year as follows, to-wit:

Avon.....\$337 08

Beloit.....73 66

Bradford.....284 23

Center.....470 15

Clinton.....401 68

Fulton.....591 94

Harmony.....442 78

Janesville.....389 93

Johnstown.....347 65

La Prairie.....315 30

Lima.....410 72

Magnolia.....430 84

Milton.....903 23

Newark.....373 40

Plymouth.....443 83

Porter.....480 36

Rock.....402 87

Spring Valley.....601 34

Turtle.....361 44

Union.....267 15

Clinton Village.....270 14

Beloit City.....3,039 60

Edgerton City.....784 69

Evansville City.....463 92

Janesville City.....6,064 44

Total.....\$18,264 25

Respectfully submitted,
ALEX. WHITE,
L. W. KENDALL,
Committee.

Report adopted.

Supervisor Kendall presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, by the County Board of Supervisors of Rock County: That the sum of ten dollars is hereby appropriated to the Chairman of this Board for countersigning orders.

Adopted. Ayes 35; noes 0.

Supervisor Powers moved that when this Board adjourns it be to meet on January 12, 1898 at 2 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

Supervisor C. H. Weirick moved that the per diem and mileage of members be allowed without reference and orders drawn for the same as follows:

Da. Mil. Amr.
Andrew, W. B.....3 30 \$10 80
Baker, F. A.....3 34 11 04
Bailey, T. B.....3 28 10 60
Barker, George R.....3 8 9 48
Bear, J. J.....3 2 9 12
Bowles, C. E.....3 2 9 12

Bruhn, Robert.....3 32 10 92
Child, C. J.....3 2 11 40
Cleophas, Ha ver.....3 28 10 68
Conley, H. W.....3 20 10 20
Cory, W. H.....3 22 10 32
Coxhead, George W.....3 34 11 04
Davidson, W. H.....3 16 9 96
Eager, A.....3 12 9 72
Gleason, J. E.....3 43 11 04
Godfrey, J. D.....3 16 9 96
Gray, W. H.....3 28 10 68
Griswold, C.....3 24 10 44
Imman, Jonas.....3 40 11 40
Jones, Ira.....3 28 10 68
Kendall, L. W.....3 32 10 92
Lindas, Hans.....2 2 6 12
Lutz, August.....3 10 9 60
Miller, W. J.....3 22 10 32
Morton, Robert.....3 30 10 80
Peterson, O. A.....3 30 10 80
Powers, A. C.....3 2 9 12
Rathern, E.....3 30 10 80
Ross, Joseph.....3 38 10 68
Smith, Simon.....3 20 10 20
Weirick, C. H.....3 28 10 68
White, Alex.....3 32 10 92
Whitely, L. C.....3 34 11 04
Wilder, P. C.....3 25 10 56
More, Robert, Chairman.....3 25 10 56

Adopted.
Ayes 31; noes 0.
Journal read and approved.
On motion board adjourned.
STATE OF WISCONSIN

I, W. J. McIntyre, county clerk of the said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the proceedings of the County Board, the Supervisors of said county, held in the office of the clerk thereof in the city of Janesville on the 9th, 10th and 11th days of November, 1897.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the county seal at Janesville this 27th day of November, 1897.
[L. S.] W. J. MCINTYRE,
County Clerk.

J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's With Hazel salve the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases. O. D. Stevens.

Electric Lights Aid Singers.
Singers, actors and public speakers, since the introduction of the electric light, have less trouble with their voices and are less likely to catch cold; their throats are not so parched and feel better. This is due to the air not being vitiated and the temperature more even.

Miss Allie Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was frightfully burned on the face and neck. Pain was instantly relieved by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, which healed the injuring without leaving a scar. It is the famous pile remedy. C. D. Stevens.

Cheap Fire Extinguishers.
A simple fire extinguisher can be made at very little cost. If twenty pounds of common salt and ten pounds of sal ammoniac are dissolved in seven gallons of water and the mixture afterward put into quart bottles of thin glass the grenades so made will be found very efficient for extinguishing small outbreaks of fire. The bottles must be tightly corked and sealed so as to prevent evaporation and when a fire occurs they must be thrown in or near the flames so as to break and thus liberate the gas contained to effect the desired object.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says "After two doctors gave my boy up to die, I saved him from croup by using One Minute Cough Cure." It is the quickest and most certain remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth
Be sure and use the old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Afraid He'd Be Lonesome.
Sunday-School Teacher—Yes, children, the good go to Heaven; but all who are bad in any way—who lie, steal, swear, fight, think bad thoughts, or who are selfish or envious or jealous—all such will go to the bad place. Why, Charley, what are you crying for? You will not go to the wicked place.

Charley—I know I won't, but all the rest of my folks will.—Town Topics.

Talking Through Her Hat.
Mrs. Styles—Don't you hate to go to the theater, and have people talking nearly the whole time just behind you?

Mrs. Myles—Indeed, I do.

"Well, it happened to me last night. There were a couple of men behind me making remarks, nearly the whole evening, about my hat."—Yonkers Statesman.

Others Think Otherwise.
He thinks he's a Christian, good and right. My neighbor across the way; But he keeps a dog that howls all night, And a daughter that sings all day.

—Indianapolis Journal.

NEW ENGINEERING TERM.

Traveler—I had a terrible ride on this plug road. Those awful curves—they really make one seasick.

Native—Well, when we built the road we had to save money and in order to avoid building bridges and tunnels we "pigtailed" the road around the mountains.—Fliegende Blaetter.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of if you commence early to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure. C. D. Stevens.

SIR OLIVER MOWAT.

has held sway longer than any other man in the history of Great Britain or any of her provinces. For over a quarter of a century he has held the most important offices within the gift of the Canadian government. He held the premiership of Ontario continuously for 24 years, the longest term on record.

The Austrian Prime Minister.
Baron Grantsch von Frankenthurn, Austria's new premier, is thoroughly a self made man. He is the son of a captain of police in Vienna and has risen to the highest position within the gift

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The First Homesteader.
The first man to enter a claim under the homestead law still lives near Beatrice, in Gage county, Neb. His name is Daniel Freeman, and he is as active

and hale an old man as can be readily found. He settled there Jan. 1, 1863. Since that period states and territories have been created out of the millions upon millions of acres of land that have been taken up by homeseekers, and the wave of civilization has swept far to the west of Gage county, and all this in half the lifetime of one man.

Abraham Lincoln's Granddaughter.
Mrs. Jessie Lincoln Beckwith, the granddaughter of Abraham Lincoln who ran away and married Warren Beckwith of Mount Pleasant, Ia., is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd Lincoln. She is a comely young woman who evidently has enough of

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All claims against George E. Cowan, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
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The petition of Mary C. Haviland and Merritt H. Haviland, executrix and executor of the will of John H. Haviland, deceased, for a license to mortgage or sell all or any portion of the several parcels of real estate described in said petition for the payment of the debts of deceased and the expenses of administration of his estate, as to the Court upon the hearing may seem expedient.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.
Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of July, A. D. 1898, being July 5th, 1898, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:
All claims against John E. O'Brien, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 21st day of June, A. D. 1898, or be barred.—Dated Jan. 4, 1898.
By the Court,
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Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 15th day of February, 1898, at nine o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:
The petition of Mary C. Haviland and Merritt H. Haviland, executrix and executor of the will of John H. Haviland, deceased, for a license to mortgage or sell all or any portion of the several parcels of real estate described in said petition for the payment of the debts of deceased and the expenses of administration of his estate, as to the Court upon the hearing may seem expedient.
By the Court,
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All claims against George E. Cowan, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 21st day of June, A.

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Early June Sweet Peas, 10c
can; 3 for..... 25c
Over 200 cases sold last season. Every
can that went from the store made us a
friend or customer.

Russian Sweet Peas,
per can..... 15c
These goods never retailed heretofore
less than 20c. We make them special.

Sifted Early June Peas,
per can..... 10c

Richelieu Sugar Peas,
per can..... 20c
True to name; quality never varies.

Imported French Peas, can, 20c
Jules Duponts' extra fine.

Imported French Peas,
per can..... 10c
A very fine one at the price but not as
good as Duponts'.

White Owl Sweet Corn,
per can..... 7c
These are especially fine at this price
and always sell at 10c.

Coun'ry Gentleman Sweet
Corn, per can..... 10c

Monarch Sweet Corn, 2 for 13c
25c, per can..... 13c

Richelieu Sweet Corn, 2 for 13c
25c, per can..... 13c

Mason Bros. & Davis'
solid meat Tomatoes, can 10c
Ruby Tomatoes, 10c
per can..... 10c

A large Chicago wholesale house offered to buy
all these goods we had at \$1.00 per dozen re-
cently. We refused the offer; the benefit is
yours.

Monarch extra Tomatoes, 2 13c
for 25c; per can..... 13c

Richelieu extra Tomatoes, 2 13c
for 25c; per can..... 13c

Royalton's Stringless Beans, 10c
3 for 25c; per can..... 10c

Richelieu Stringless Beans, 15c
per can, straight..... 15c

Richelieu Golden Wax Beans, 13c
2 for 25c; per can..... 13c

Monarch Golden Wax Beans, 15c
per can..... 15c

Monarch French Lima Beans, 15c
per can..... 15c

Richelieu French Lima 20c
Beans, per can..... 20c

Richelieu extra Lima Beans, 15c
per can..... 15c

Richelieu Moorpark Apricots 30c
in extra fine syrup, can..... 30c

Trilby Yellow Table Peaches, 10c
3 for 25c; per can..... 10c
Regular 13c, 2 for 25c, goods, and of the
choicest variety.

Gridley Yellow Table Peaches, 13c
2 for 25c; per can..... 13c

Reindeer Yellow Cal. Peaches 20c
per can..... 20c

Fancy Yellow Crawford Cal. 15c
Peaches, per can..... 15c

Monarch extra Lemon Cling 35c
Peaches, per can..... 35c

Put up in pure granulated sugar syrup.
Richelieu extra White Cling 35c
Peach, per can..... 35c

Put up in cordial; finest article put up.
Richelieu extra sliced 35c
Peaches for cream..... 35c

Derby Cal. Apricots, 2 for 13c
25c; per can..... 13c

In sugar syrup; regular price 15c can.
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sugar syrup, 2 for 25c; can..... 13c

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2 for 25c; per can..... 13c

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Monarch Red Kidney Beans, 10c
per can..... 10c

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Richelieu Asparagus Tips, 25c
per can..... 25c

Fancy Bartlett Pears, 15c
per can..... 15c

Charter Oak Bartlett Pears, 20c
6 for \$1.00; per can..... 20c

Reindeer White Cal. Cher- 25c
ries, per can..... 25c

Reindeer Black Cherries, 25c
per can..... 25c

Reindeer Royal Aim Cher- 38c
ries, very fine, per can..... 38c

Richelieu Preserved Cher- 35c
ries, red, pitted, per can..... 35c

Monarch Crabapples in 10c
sugar syrup, extra fine..... 10c

Wholesale price today is \$1.75 a dozen.
Monarch and Batavia Ap- 25c
ples, per gallon can..... 25c

Two best brands; this is exactly whole-
sale price on them today.
Tepee Blackberries, 10c
per can..... 10c

Wholesale price today is \$1.15 a dozen.
Tremain Preserved Black- 10c
berries, per can..... 10c

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berries, per can..... 10c

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"I wouldn't venture to express my-
self on that subject," replied Willie
Washington.

"Why not?"
"Because I am too polite to contra-
dict the girls who, when you propose to
them, invariably say: 'This is so sud-
den!'"—Washington Star.

On the Wrong Track.

"Where do you want to go?" asked
the elevator boy.

"I want to go to Heaven, my boy,"
smilingly answered the Salvation Army
man who had stepped inside, "but you
may put me off at the top floor."

"You must have got in the wrong
buildin', mister," rejoined the boy.
"There ain't nobody but lawyers on the
top floor."—Chicago Tribune.

Evident.

"When I call on old Dandelion's daughter
She's so saintly and pure and demure
That I feel like a fish out of water."

"Then you must have been hooked, that
is sure."

—Judge.

WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR IT.



Mrs. Lafferty (visitor)—Your daugh-
ter has a foine touch, Mrs. Moriarty.

Mrs. M.—Yis; so they do be tellin'
me; an' sure, 'tis no wouther, for she
loves pianny, an' niver tires of it; she
has a great tashte for moosic; but thin
that's ownly natural, fer her gran'-
father had his skull laid open wid a cor-
net at a timperance picnic.—Harlem
Life.

The First Attempt.

The parson gayly mounted his bike,
And immediately fell on his head;
His sense of humor it seemed to strike.
"Here ends the first lesson," he said,
—N. Y. World.

Made Him Young Again.

"A dinner such as we have had to-
day," said the elderly boarder, "makes
me feel like a young man."

"Indeed!" was all Mrs. Hashcroft
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"Indeed. When I think of that lamb
we had for dinner, I feel that if that
was lamb I must be still a boy."

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